The National Survey of Children's Health

Overweight and Physical Activity Among Children: A Portrait of States and the Nation 2005



New Hampshire

All statistics are based on parental reports.

	National %	State %
Percent of children who are overweight	14.8	12.9
Age 10-11	21.9	12.8
Age 12-14	14.4	12.8
Age 15-17	10.7	13.1
0-99% Federal poverty level	22.4	19.2
100-199% Federal poverty level	19.0	20.1
200-399% Federal poverty level	13.7	11.0
400% Federal poverty level or more	9.1	9.9
Male	18.1	18.0
Female	11.5	7.5
Percent of children who exercised or participated in physical activity	ı	
for at least 20 minutes on 3 or more days during the past week	71.3	68.1
Age 10-11	78.2	70.6
Age 12-14	74.2	73.8
Age 15-17	63.3	60.7
Male	76.8	73.5
Female	65.6	62.3
Percent of children who were on a sports team		
or took sports lessons during the past 12 months	58.6	67.1
Age 10-11	61.5	76.4
Age 12-14	61.6	69.6
Age 15-17	53.4	58.9
Male	62.1	68.9
Female	55.0	65.1
Percent of children with at least one parent who exercises regularly	72.9	80.2